

## Tuesday, 23 December

**Carols round the Christmas tree at 7PM (19.00).** The Rotary Club of Lyme Regis welcome you to a wonderful start to the Christmas activities, 'Carols round the Christmas Tree' in Broad Street Lyme Regis. The Lyme Regis Town Band will play a selection of Christmas Carols for all to sing along! The Mayor will be in attendance with the Town Crier acting as MC. The collection being made by the Rotary Club will be for the Children's Hospice South West.

## Wednesday, 24 December

**1st Mass of Christmas** 6.00pm Followed by mince pies and mulled wine, all welcome At St. Swithun's Church, Allington, Bridport DT6 5DU Contact 07967205302

## Sunday, 28 December 2025

**Singing Bowl Soundbath** 2pm Oborne Village Hall Sherborne DT9 4LA £17 Lie down, relax, and allow the Pure Sounds of a crystal and Tibetan bowl soundbath plus sacred vocal overtoning give you a sonic deep-tissue massage, taking you into the deeper brainwave states of 'the relaxation response', while charging and balancing the aura and chakras of the subtle body, and detoxing the physical body. Bookings: 01935 389655 ahiahel@live.com

## Thursday, 1 January 2026

**The Lyme Lunge** 1pm Sandy Beach. The iconic Lyme Lunge will return to Lyme Regis beach on New Year's Day, and a fancy dress dip in the balmy waters of Lyme Bay is just the thing to lift your spirits the morning after. Organised by the Rotary Club of Lyme Regis, the Lunge has raised more than £40,000 for local and national charities over the past 15 years. This year's Lunge will be raising funds for The Rainbow Trust and Well Child and Rotary Charities. Hot Soup served for all Lungers (Courtesy of The Harbour inn). Full details and sponsorship forms will be available at [www.lymeregisrotary.org](http://www.lymeregisrotary.org), find us on Facebook and Instagram.

**The Symondsbury Mummers** performing the oldest & most complete mumming play in England. Festive fun for all the family. The Ilchester Arms, Symondsbury 7.00pm.

## Friday, 2 January

**Film: The Choral (12A)**, 7:30pm, Bridport Electric Palace, DT6 3NY. Tickets £8.50. To book [electricpalace.org.uk](http://electricpalace.org.uk).

## Saturday, 3 January

**Bridport & West Dorset Rambling Club** 7.5 mile walk from Winsham. For further information please ring 01308 898484 or 01308 863340. New members/visitors welcome.

**Friends of Weymouth Library** Our first talk in 2026 will be by Graham Perry, beginning at 10.30a.m. in the Library. He will tell us about a fine pair of Georgian townhouses built in 1795 in St. Thomas St., Weymouth. In subsequent life they have been connected with some of the town's most popular entertainment venues. Tickets for the talk can be obtained at the Library, priced £2 for members and £3 for non-members. For further information phone the Library on 01305762410 or else 01305 832613.

**Film: Wicked: For Good (PG)**, 7:30pm, Bridport Electric Palace, DT6 3NY. Tickets £8.50. To book [electricpalace.org.uk](http://electricpalace.org.uk).

## Sunday, 4 January

**Screening: Merrily We Roll Along (15)**, 2pm, Bridport Electric Palace, DT6 3NY. Tickets from 11.50. To book [electricpalace.org.uk](http://electricpalace.org.uk)

## Monday, 5 January

**Scottish Dancing** in Chardstock An evening of Scottish dancing in Chardstock Village Hall EX13 7BJ. 7.30 - 10.00 p.m. Tea and coffee provided but please bring your own mug if possible and wear soft soled shoes. No partner required. Cost £3.00. For more information contact David on 01460 65981. [www.chardscottishcountrydance.co.uk](http://www.chardscottishcountrydance.co.uk).

**Hawkchurch Film Nights**, in association with Moviola.org, proudly presents 'The Roses', 105 mins, Cert.15 (very strong language, strong sex references, drug misuse). Doors open 6.30pm, film starts 7.00pm at Hawkchurch Village Hall, EX13 5XD. Ticket reservations £6.50 from [csma95@gmail.com](mailto:csma95@gmail.com) or leave a message on 07753 603219; tickets also available in advance for £6.50 from Hawkchurch Community Shop or on the door for £7.00 (cash only). Subtitles for hearing-impaired patrons provided if available. Home-made cake, teas, coffees, soft drinks, wine and other refreshments available.

## Tuesday, 6 January

**Scottish Country Dancing.** New Beginner's class starting at Horton Village Hall TA19 9QR 6.30 to 7.30 pm only £3.00 per session. Learn a new skill, make friends, keep fit and have lots of fun. General class from 7.30 to 9.30 pm. For further information contact Anita on 01460 929383 email [anitaandjim22@gmail.com](mailto:anitaandjim22@gmail.com) or visit our web site at [www.ashillscd.wordpress.com](http://ashillscd.wordpress.com).

**Bridport Film Society** Perfect Days by Wim Wenders - Japanese with English subtitles. Wim Wenders makes a strong case for simple living with this achingly lovely tale. 7.45pm Bridport Arts Centre. Members and Guests (£5) only.



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**Beaminster Museum** Winter Talk: 'Hedges and ditches and a few red herrings'. Join Freda Hennessy for an appreciation of field boundaries, especially those that have shaped West Dorset's beautiful patchwork landscape. Tickets are £5 on the door. Beaminster Museum, Whitcombe Road, Beaminster DT8 3NB. [www.beaminstermuseum.co.uk](http://www.beaminstermuseum.co.uk).

## Thursday, 8 January

**Graffiti Classics** Artsreach & Wootton Fitzpaine Village Hall presents The Comedy String Quartet at 7.30pm Tickets from 01297 560948 or online at [artsreach.co.uk](http://artsreach.co.uk) A: £14 U18: £6 Fam: £36 A cabaret that will leave you wanting more" The Daily Mail. [www.artsreach.co.uk](http://www.artsreach.co.uk).

**Driving Mum** (2022, Iceland, 12A, 113 mins, Director Hilmar Oddsson) Hilmar Oddsson's darkly comedic road movie is a bewitching 1980-set odyssey of self-discovery and acceptance across the beautifully photographed landscapes of Iceland. Doors 7:00 pm, 7:30 pm start. Clapton & Wayford Village Hall (TA18 8PS). Membership £30, guests £5 per film. For more information/book guest tickets, please email [mickpwilson53@btinternet.com](mailto:mickpwilson53@btinternet.com) or [k\\_everard@live.com](mailto:k_everard@live.com). Alternatively, ring Mick Wilson on 01460 74849 or Julia Borland on 01460 72769.

**Chard History Group** History of the Post Card by Nigel Sadler of Axminster Museum. 7 for 7.30pm. Chard Guildhall, upper room, lift available. £2.50 for members and £3.50 non members. Annual Subs will be due and a very short AGM will take place. For further details contact Tessa on 07984481634.

**Bridport History Society** will be welcoming Charlotte Nickels who will give a talk titled 'History of Paper.' The talk will be held at the United Church Hall on East Street, Bridport. Doors open at 2.15 for a prompt 2.30 start. All are welcome. Members £1pp and visitors £5pp. Bridport History Society meets on the second Thursday of each month (except July and August). Membership is open to all (£12 individual/£18 couple). For more information visit [www.bridporthistorysociety.org.uk](http://www.bridporthistorysociety.org.uk).

**Seaton Garden Club** A Talk by: Steve Maclure. Green Recycling, What happens to Green Waste? 2.30p.m. Seaton Masonic Hall. Members free visitors £2.00 plus refreshments. Contact 01297 22869 for details.

**Film: The Choral (12A)**, 2pm, Bridport Electric Palace, DT6 3NY. Tickets £7.50. To book [electricpalace.org.uk](http://electricpalace.org.uk).

**Film: Anemone (15)**, 7:30pm, Bridport Electric Palace, DT6 3NY. Tickets £8.50. To book [electricpalace.org.uk](http://electricpalace.org.uk).

## Friday, 9 January

**Move and Groove Adult dance** with Nikki Northover at Steps studio, Crepe Farm Business Park. Every Friday at 10. 15am to 11.15am. Move and Groove focuses on enhancing creativity and dancing for well being. Enquiries and to book please contact Nikki Northover at [nikkinorthover43@gmail.com](mailto:nikkinorthover43@gmail.com).

**Film: Wicked For Good (PG)**, 7:30pm, Bridport Electric Palace, DT6 3NY. Tickets £8.50. To book [electricpalace.org.uk](http://electricpalace.org.uk).

## Saturday, 10 January

**Bridport & West Dorset Rambling Club** 7 mile walk from Hardy Monument. For further information please ring 01308 898484 or 01308 863340. New members/visitors welcome.

**Model Railway Exhibition** Beaminster Public Hall. The Bridport and District Model Railway Club will be holding their annual Winter exhibition in the Public Hall, Fleet Street, Beaminster, Dorset DT8 3EF from 10am until 4pm. Visitors will be able to view a wide variety of layouts in various gauges and themes, from both local exhibitors and those coming from farther afield. Admission price is Adults £5, children under 16 years and accompanied are free. Car parking is available in the Yarn Barton car park.

**Beaminster Museum** Ciorstaith Hayward Trevarthen, Dorset Finds Liaison Officer for the Portable Antiquities Scheme, returns for another drop-in session. If you've stumbled across something of archaeological (not geological) interest on a walk, in the garden, or with your metal detector, bring it along between 12 noon to 2.00pm. Entry is free. Beaminster Museum, Whitcombe Road, Beaminster DT8 3NB. [www.beaminstermuseum.co.uk](http://www.beaminstermuseum.co.uk).

**Film: Nuremberg (15)**, 7:30pm, Bridport Electric Palace, DT6 3NY. Tickets £8.50. To book [electricpalace.org.uk](http://electricpalace.org.uk)

## Monday, 12 January

**Scottish Dancing** in Chardstock An evening of Scottish dancing in Chardstock Village Hall EX13 7BJ. 7.30 - 10.00 p.m. Tea and coffee provided but please bring your own mug if possible and wear soft soled shoes. No partner required. Cost £3.00, For more information contact David on 01460 65981. [www.chardscottishcountrydance.co.uk](http://www.chardscottishcountrydance.co.uk).

**Art History for January:** 'Reflecting on American art', art history lectures in Bridport from Monday: 12th January, 2pm-3.30pm. The same lectures run on line on Fridays from the 16th January 2pm. Artists include Grant Wood, Mark Rothko, Andrew Wyeth, Edward Hopper, Langston Hughes, Fra Dana, Jaune Quick-to-See Smith, Richard Prince, Kerry James Marshall, The Stettheimer sisters, Carrie, Florine, & Ettie, photography from William Eggleston and Vivienne Maier. Venue: United Hall Bridport, East Street, DT6 3LJ. Fee: Full course, 6 lectures, £65, Fridays on line, 2pm start, 6 lectures £60. Individual lectures, £13 per lecture per person. The course is booking now if you would like to reserve a place [chris.pamsimpson@btinternet.com](mailto:chris.pamsimpson@btinternet.com) Tutor: Pam Simpson MA, Pam spent her career working in London Art Colleges and universities.

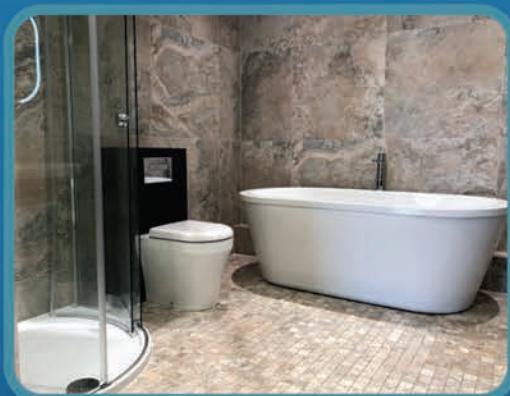
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### Wednesday, 14 January

**Kilmington Film Night** "Downton Abbey The Grand Finale" (PG). Doors and bar open 6.45 film start 7.15 at Kilmington Village Hall EX13 7RE. Tickets £6 can be ordered by contacting: John at [wattsjohn307@gmail.com](mailto:wattsjohn307@gmail.com) or Tel: 01297 521681

### Thursday, 15 January

**New Arts Group**. A Marvelous Material: The Glass of Tiffany and Lalique. Speaker: Dr Justine Hopkins. Bridport Town Hall 1.30 for 2.00pm. All welcome £10.00.

**Kilmington Film Matinee** "Downton Abbey The Grand Finale" (See 14th January). Matinee, doors open 1.45pm film starts 2pm, cream-teas served during the interval but must be pre-booked with your seats @ £4. see above and [www.kilmingtonvillage.com/other-organisations.html](http://kilmingtonvillage.com/other-organisations.html).

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Somerset. We welcome Jonathan Owen, new Site Manager at Ham Wall RSPB reserve, who previously worked on Brownsea Island for the DWT. He will share his conservation experiences with us of both reserves, illustrated by his many photos and anecdotes. 7.30pm The Millennium Hall, Seavington St. Mary, Ilminster, TA19 0QH. Entry: Group members £4, non-group members £5, under 25's Free. Tea/coffee & biscuits included – Wheelchair access. Further details from Denise Chamings on 01781473846 or [www.rspb.org.uk/groups/southsomerset](http://www.rspb.org.uk/groups/southsomerset). Everyone welcome.

**The Bridport and District Gardening Club** are looking forward to hosting a talk 7:00pm for 7:30 pm. The speaker will be Colin Varndell. Colin is a Dorset based natural history photographer best known for his evocative images of animals, birds, insects, wildflowers and landscapes. We meet at the Women's Institute Hall in North Street Bridport. Entrance to the talk is free for members and £2 for non-members. For more information, visit [www.bridportgardeningclub.co.uk/](http://www.bridportgardeningclub.co.uk/)

**Screening: The World of Hans Zimmer** – A New Dimension, 7:30pm, Bridport Electric Palace, DT6 3NY. Tickets from £11.50. To book [electricpalace.org.uk](http://electricpalace.org.uk).



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## Friday, 16 January

**Milborne Movies & More** at Milborne St Andrew Village Hall. Milborne Movies & More is delighted to start the new year with a wonderfully feel-good screening of Bridget Jones: Mad About the Boy, the latest instalment in the much-loved Bridget Jones story. Doors & Bar Open: 7:00 pm Film Starts: 7:30 pm Tickets: £6.50 (includes the film plus your choice of a drink or ice cream). Do come along for an enjoyable evening with friends and neighbours. As always, everyone from the surrounding villages is very welcome. Why not start the year with a good laugh and a great community night out?

**Film: Blue Moon (15)**, 7:30pm, Bridport Electric Palace, DT6 3NY. Tickets £8.50. To book [electricpalace.org.uk](http://electricpalace.org.uk)

## Saturday, 17 January

**Bridport & West Dorset Rambling Club** 7.5 mile walk from Langdon Wood. For further information please ring 01308 898484 or 01308 863340. New members/visitors welcome.

**Comedy: Mark Watson** - Before It Overtakes Us, 7:30pm, Bridport Electric Palace, DT6 3NY. Tickets £24.50. To book [electricpalace.org.uk](http://electricpalace.org.uk)

## Sunday, 18 January

**Dalwood Jazz Club** presents Zoe Lambeth's "Vintage Jazz Collective" with Zoe Lambeth - clarinet, sax & vocals, Steve Dow - guitar & vocals, Martin Jenkins - keyboard, Jim Rintoul - double bass and Gary Evans - drums. 3pm Dalwood Village

Hall, EX13 7EG (near Axminster). Bar for beer/wine/soft drinks and tea/coffee/cake etc. Parking at the Village Hall. £12.50p If possible, please book in advance and pay (cash or card) at the door.

**Singing Bowl Soundbath** 2pm Bridport Unitarians, 49 East Street, Bridport, DT6 3JX £17 Lie down, relax, and allow the Pure Sounds of a crystal and Tibetan bowl soundbath plus sacred vocal overtuning give you a sonic deep-tissue massage, taking you into the deeper brainwave states of 'the relaxation response', while charging and balancing the aura and chakras of the subtle body, and detoxing the physical body. Please book 01935 389655 [ahiahel@live.com](mailto:ahiahel@live.com).

**Screening: ROH – La Traviata (12A)**, 2pm, Bridport Electric Palace, DT6 3NY. Tickets from £11.50. To book [electricpalace.org.uk](http://electricpalace.org.uk)

## Monday, 19 January

**Scottish Dancing** in Chardstock An evening of Scottish dancing in Chardstock Village Hall EX13 7BJ 7.30 - 10.00 p.m. Tea and coffee provided but please bring your own mug if possible and wear soft soled shoes. No partner required. Cost £3.00. For more information contact David on 01460 65981. [www.chardscottishcountrydance.co.uk](http://www.chardscottishcountrydance.co.uk).

## Tuesday, 20 January

**Scottish Country Dancing**. New Beginner's class starting at Horton Village Hall TA19 9QR 6.30 to 7.30 pm only £3.00



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**Bridport Film Society** I'm Still Here by Walter Salles - Portuguese with English subtitles. A family drama based on real events during the military coup in Brazil vividly explores the collateral damage to those left behind when a political activist is spirited away. 7.45pm Bridport Arts Centre. Members and Guests (£5) only.

**Beaminster Museum AGM** 2.00pm. Beaminster Museum, Whitcombe Road, Beaminster DT8 3NB. [www.beaminstermuseum.co.uk](http://www.beaminstermuseum.co.uk).

### Wednesday, 21 January

**Coffee Morning**, including cakes, scones & savouries, and bacon/egg rolls (made to order), 10.30am – noon; all welcome. Clapton & Wayford Village Hall. More details from Julia (01460 72769).

**Art Workshop** 'Birds, fish and animals in acrylic' Make a lively picture, design your own shapes and learn about colour and composition. 10 am until 12.30. Cost £17 Suitable for beginners. At the United Reform Church, Chard Street, Axminster. A car park is opposite. Materials supplied. Includes

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**Colyton & District Garden Society** 'No Dig Veg Growing' by Allan Cavill, 'South West Mentor of the National Allotment Association'. Venue : Colyford Memorial Hall, EX24 6QJ , start 7.30 pm. January is Subscription Month. Membership is £15.00 a year, please pay cash on the night. Plenty of parking in the hall car park. Information : Peter Clark : 01297 553341.

### Thursday, 22 January

**Screening: NTL – Hamlet (12)**, 7pm, Bridport Electric Palace, DT6 3NY. Tickets £17.50. To book [electricpalace.org.uk](http://electricpalace.org.uk).

### Friday, 23 January

**Learn Calligraphy** Design an envelope, write in a square etc. Using the Italic hand which is so useful. Learn a new skill that is very relaxing. All materials are supplied. Includes refreshments. Cost £17. 10 am until 12 noon. At the United Reform Church, Chard Street, Axminster ( a car park is opposite). To book a place contact : gina.youens@btinternet.com

### Friday, 23 - Saturday, 24 January

**Castle Players Present:** Little Red Riding Hood and the Three Little Pigs – Babe in the Hood. A brand-new fairy-tale mash-up written and directed by our very own Phil

McMullen. Packed with colourful characters, catchy songs and more silliness than ever, it's the perfect family treat to kick off the new year. In this wonderfully topsy-turvy tale, Little Red Riding Hood, her no-nonsense Granny, and the Three Little Pigs all find themselves facing the Big Bad Wolf at the same time! Add in Hansel and Gretel, a wicked witch, and a handful of delightfully dodgy comedy characters, and you've got the recipe for a hilarious, magical adventure suitable for all ages. Performances will take place on 23, 24, 30 & 31 January at Lytchett Matravers Village Hall, with tickets available via [castleplayers.com/tickets](http://castleplayers.com/tickets) 07771 444376 We do recommend booking early, as our pantomimes often sell out quickly.

### Saturday, 24 January

**Bridport & West Dorset Rambling Club** 5-7 mile walk from Bridport. For further information please ring 01308 898484 or 01308 863340. New members/visitors welcome.

**Jumble Sale** with refreshments, 2pm – 3.30pm. Contributions gratefully received, & may be left at the hall between 10am & mid-day on the Saturday morning. Clapton & Wayford Village Hall. Further information from Jackie (01460 72324) or Mary (01460 74849).

**Beginners Sewing Workshop** Make a pillowcase, edged, ruffled etc and unique to you. (bring some material and your machine if you have one). Or bring your own simple project, repairs etc. Sewing is an absorbing relaxing hobby. 10 am until 2pm. £18. At the United Reform Church, Chard St, Axminster

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## Sunday, 25 January

**Sarah McQuaid in Concert** – Milborne St Andrew Village Hall. Milborne St Andrew Village Hall at 7:30pm. Tickets: £12.50 adults, £6 under 18s, £35 family. Available online at [artsreach.co.uk](http://artsreach.co.uk) or by phoning 07983 231956. Bar, refreshments and ice creams will be available. This event is presented by Artsreach with support from Arts Council England and Dorset Council.

**Jazz by the Sea** at the Marine Theatre, Lyme Regis 8pm. Hedera are a Bristol-based quintet of instrumentalists brought together by a desire to lean into the slower and more delicate side of European folk traditions. Marine Theatre, Church St, Lyme Regis, Dorset DT7 3QB. £16 advance £18 on the door. Tickets available at [www.marinetheatre.com](http://www.marinetheatre.com). You can also purchase tickets from the Lyme Regis Bookshop and Bridport TIC (01308 424901).

**Singing Bowl Soundbath** 2pm Oborne Village Hall, Oborne, nr. Sherborne, Dorset DT9 4LA £17 Lie down, relax, and allow the Pure Sounds of a crystal and Tibetan bowl soundbath plus sacred vocal overtoning give you a sonic deep-tissue massage, taking you into the deeper brainwave states of 'the relaxation response', while charging and balancing the aura and chakras of the subtle body, and detoxing the physical body. Please book 01935 389655 [ahiahel@live.com](mailto:ahiahel@live.com).

**Centenary Cinema Season** – The Cabinet of Dr Caligari (U) with live score accompaniment, 3pm, Bridport Electric Palace, DT6 3NY. Tickets £12.50. To book [electricpalace.org.uk](http://electricpalace.org.uk).

## Monday, 26 January

**Scottish Dancing** in Chardstock An evening of Scottish dancing in Chardstock Village Hall EX13 7BJ. 7.30 - 10.00 p.m. Tea and coffee provided but please bring your own mug if possible and wear soft soled shoes. No partner required. Cost £3.00. For more information contact David on 01460 65981. [www.chardscottishcountrydance.co.uk](http://www.chardscottishcountrydance.co.uk)

## Tuesday, 27 January

**Scottish Country Dancing**. New Beginner's class starting at Horton Village Hall TA19 9QR 6.30 to 7.30 pm only £3.00 per session. Learn a new skill, make friends, keep fit and have lots of fun. General class from 7.30 to 9.30 pm. For further information contact Anita on 01460 929383 email [anitaandjim22@gmail.com](mailto:anitaandjim22@gmail.com) or visit our web site at [www.ashillscd.wordpress.com](http://www.ashillscd.wordpress.com).

**The Bridport U3A** talk is held at Bridport United Church Hall, East Street, Bridport DT6 3LJ. It starts at 2.00 pm & lasts for approx 1 hour followed by Q&A & refreshments. James Taylor is providing a talk called. 'The voyage of the

Beagle'. This talk is about captain Robert Fitzroy & Charles Darwins adventures aboard this vessel 1826 -1836. Members are free, guests £3.00.

**Beaminster Museum** Winter Talk: 'Other textiles of the South Somerset and West Dorset area'. Industrial historian and author Richard Sims. Tickets are £5 on the door. Beaminster Museum, Whitcombe Road, Beaminster DT8 3NB. [www.beaminstermuseum.co.uk](http://www.beaminstermuseum.co.uk).

## Wednesday, 28 January

**Uplyme and Lyme Regis Horticultural Society**. Talk, 'What's hot, what's not – chillies and sweet peppers' by Joy Michaud of Sea Spring Seeds. Uplyme Village Hall 7.30pm. Doors open 7pm. Seeds for sale. Members free; guests £3. More information <https://ulrhs.wordpress.com>.

**Comedy: Omid Djalili** – Namaste, 8pm, Bridport Electric Palace, DT6 3NY. Tickets £32. To book [electricpalace.org.uk](http://electricpalace.org.uk).

## Thursday, 29 January

**Film: Nuremberg (15)**, 2pm, Bridport Electric Palace, DT6 3NY. Tickets £7.50. To book [electricpalace.org.uk](http://electricpalace.org.uk).

## Friday, 30 - Saturday, 31 January

**Castle Players Present**: Little Red Riding Hood and the Three Little Pigs – Babe in the Hood. Performances will take place on 23, 24, 30 & 31 January at Lytchett Matravers Village Hall, with tickets available via [castleplayers.com/tickets](http://castleplayers.com/tickets) 07771 444376 We do recommend booking early, as our pantomimes often sell out quickly.

## Saturday, 31 January

**Bridport & West Dorset Rambling Club** 7 mile walk from Little Bredy. For further information please ring 01308 898484 or 01308 863340. New members/visitors welcome.

**Bridport Seed Swap** 10-12 Bridport Youth and Community Centre, Gundry Lane. This event kick starts the gardeners' growing plans using local seeds from each other. Seeds from the Heritage Seed Library will also be available. For more info contact [bridportfoodmattersoffice@gmail.com](mailto:bridportfoodmattersoffice@gmail.com).

## Saturday, 31 January - 8 February 2026

**Compton Valence** snowdrops Village hall lunches & teas. Come and walk/drive through our beautiful village and see the stunning white drifts of snowdrops. The village hall is just below the church. Open (weather permitting) 11.00am-3.30pm. To book please ring or email so that we can cater accordingly. Tessa Russell – Tel : 01308482227 mob: 07818037184 email ; [tessa@cvfarms.co.uk](mailto:tessa@cvfarms.co.uk). Pippa James – Tel : 07880882985. email : [pippa.james8@gmail.com](mailto:pippa.james8@gmail.com). Pre booked guests will take priority as the hall is small. In bad/icy weather we may not be open. Please be considerate of our village/verges when parking. Or ring us to discuss help with parking etc. We very much look forward to seeing you.

## EVENTS IN FEBRUARY

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